

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-21, all of the claims in the subject U.S. patent application, as filed, as set forth in the verified translation of WO 2004/024448 A1. Further, please cancel claims 1-16 as set forth in the letter from KBA to the European Patent Office dated September 10, 2004, 2004. Please add new claims 22-38 as follows.

Claims 1-21 (Cancelled)

22. (New) A printing press comprising:

- a first structural component including a first printing group, a first dryer and a first turning bar, said first printing group having first printing cylinders with first axes of rotation and defining a first printing gap;

- a second structural component including a second printing group, a second dryer and a second turning bar, said second printing group having second printing cylinders with second axes of rotation and defining a second printing gap;

- a third structural component including a third printing group, a third dryer and a third turning bar, said third printing group having third printing cylinders with third axes of rotation and defining a third printing gap;

- a first folder arranged in a first space between said structural components, said first folder including a first transverse cutting cylinder having a first cutting cylinder axis of rotation parallel to at least one of said first, second and third printing cylinder axes of rotation; and

- a second folder arranged in a second space between said structural

components, said second folder including a second transverse cutting cylinder having a second cutting cylinder axis of rotation, said first and second folders being aligned in a direction of said first and second transverse cutting cylinder axes of rotation, said first, second and third printing groups being aligned in a direction of said first, second and third printing cylinder axes of rotation.

23. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein each said first, second and third dryer has a longitudinal direction arranged transversely to said printing cylinder axis of rotation of an associated one of said first, second and third printing groups.

24. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein each said printing group includes a web guidance path extending from a lower printing group section to an upper printing group section, each said dryer being arranged at a height of said upper printing group section of said associated printing group.

25. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein each said dryer bridges an area between an associated one of said printing groups and one of said first and second folders.

26. (New) The printing press of claim 25 further including at least one roll changer associated with each said printing group and included in said bridged area.

27. (New) The printing press of claim 22 further including a roll changer positioned

beneath at least one of said first, second and third dryers.

28. (New) The printing press of claim 22 including a fourth structural component.

29. (New) The printing press of claim 28 wherein said first folder is arranged centered with respect to said first, second third and fourth structural components.

30. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein said second folder is arranged between said first and second structural components.

31. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein said first and second spaces are adjacent.

32. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein said first and second spaces are non-adjacent.

33. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein in a first mode of operation both of said first and second folders are operational and in a second mode of operation a selected one of said first and second folders is operational.

34. (New) The printing press of claim 22 wherein said printing press is a telephone directory printing press.

35. (New) The printing press of claim 34 wherein each said printing cylinder has a width of six pages.

36. (New) The printing press of claim 34 wherein each said printing cylinder has a circumference of four pages.

37. (New) The printing press of claim 35 wherein each said printing cylinder has a circumference of four pages.

38. (New) The printing press of claim 22 further including a cooling roller group associated with each of said first, second and third dryers.